Will Begin Tuesday Morning at the Dodge City Park. .

LARGE CROWD LOOKED FOR At the Opera House All Next Week, Fair Week

Gray County Vice President Engages Tents For 500 From His County.

Everything is in readiness for the big reunion next week. Among the requests for tents received today was one from Comrade Hull of Gray county, who declares that they will bring a crowd of 500 from Gray county alone, and he wants all the tents that he can get. There are a large number of counties that will good delegations, but Gray county is figuring on bring the largest crowd that will attend from any one county outside of Ford.

During Rennion week the Rock make their home.

1:30 P. M. Address. Col. W. P. Hep 7:30 P. M. Address. Hon. R. W. Mc

Claughrey and Silas Porter. FRIDAY, 27th. A. M. Address. Hon. W. E

1:30 P. M. Address. Senator Charles

on the committee of the council that gave a great deal of time to the study The Goldie Cole Stock Co., will hold forth at the Opera House commencing of the matter. In view of the recent Monday. Opening their week's engageoffer the council made to give the ment with "The Little Princess" with Miss Cole in the title role.

Ladies are to be admitted free Monday when accompanied by a paid ticket. The company will be remembered in Dodge City from last season, having played a week's engagement last Novem-

This is the company's 3rd year Kansas, and their plays are all new for thought there might be something

Mr. Edward T. Hamilton and Miss plan proposed, he thought, would be Dolly Moody, of Spearville, were married here at the Christian parsonage yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the pastor M. Lee Sorey performing the ceremony. The part of town for lights and power, contracting parties are popular young people of Spearville, where they will

## together with a contract for pumping, and a ten year franchise for lighting the city at a 10 cent rate, Mr. Fitzgerald stated that while he was not in favor of municipal ownership here, he worse than that. The partnership the worst thing that could be entered into. A 10 cent rate in the business would be practically prohibitive, and out of the question. Such a contract, under the present laws, could be repudiated by the people. A rate of 5 or 6 cents for pumping, would be a bad thing. One trouble now is that water is being wasted and stolen. If large amounts are stolen and wasted in future, under such a

At the regular second meeting for the month, the city council occupied

most of its time last Wednesday

evening with the routine business.

W. J. Fitzgerald, who was present at

the meeting, made a talk to the coun-

cil regarding the water works proposition. Mr. Fitzgerald was formerly

company \$30,000 for its mains, etc.,

that if we had to come to city ownership, he favored a new plant through out, bota for water and light. including the engines and building. A partnership affair he believes would raise insurance rates, and would be very expensive and unsatisfactory all around. When the G. A. R encampment met at Ottawa, the auto owners of

contract, the city would have to pay

the company for pumping it just the

same, and the more waste the better

for the company. Mr. Fitzgerald said

that town had their cars on the street and each one took a personal interest in showing the visitors the town. It not only made the visitors feel at home, but they were delighted with the attention shown them, and carried home a good impression of the place City Clerks office. and the people. If the same thing is commendable.

ning very pleasantly. During the even- accounts. ing a substitute for money was furnished each guest, and an auction was held, All sorts of packages watch proved somewhat of a disappointment were bid in at high prices. When the money was about ex hausted, the ladles for supper were auctioned off Owing to the financial stringency at this time, some of the partners brought frightfully low prices, causing a great deal of merriment. Refreshments

Dr. Crumbine of Topeka and Prof Hoad of the State University were in remembrances. Dodge City last week investigating the s- werage system and the water works, in attach new territory to the old sewer

I have eight head of registered thoroughbred running colts, from yearlings up # 8 years of age, ail very highly bred and some very fast ones now fitting to race. Would like to exchange for west ern land, as my business compels me to it is at the present. His friends greatly dispose of them.

O. E. DORR. Belknap, lowa,

congregation at the Christian church by this number may capture a very good the pastor, M. Lee Sorey. Mr. Sorey is piece of land. E. M. Misner, who also gradually recovering, but is still not drew in the Flathead has been notited

The price of ice will be raised 5 cents part of the state, and will start to stron- in. The raise will be in effect Saturday,

> The price of ice will be raised 5 cents per hundred. Ice is now costing \$1.50 more a ton, on account of being shipped

# .WELCONE.

W/E extend a cordial invitation to each and every person visiting our city during the reunion to make our store your headquarters. Bring your baggage, we will take care of it for you. Use our telephone--in fact call on us for any favor you may want. We will try and make it as pleasant for you as we possibly can. If you want to do any trading in our line you will find our assortment of Men's and Boy's Clothing the largest and hest assorted stock in Ford county. Our new fall suits are now on display and it will be to your advantage to look them over while in the city. Our stock of hats, shirts, underwear and furnishing goods of all kinds is complete in every way, but remember you are just as welcome if you don't want one thing as you would be if you bought one hudred dollars worth, for during Reunion we want to be at your service.



best bill possible "under the circumstances," he has the satisfaction of knowing that he was not one of the "circumstances" that blocked the way to a better bill.-Kansas City Star Thursday morning, August 12.

Star and Capital Endorse Congress-

man Madison's Action on Tariff

Congressman Madison of Kansas declares that he finally voted for the Tariff Bill because he

Measure.

knew that it was the best bill that the present con-

gress would pass. But Mr. Madison does not

make this declaration from the same viewpoint as

the reactionary congressmen from Kansas who

offer an excuse, verball, the same, for their votes.

against the conference report on the measure and

supported the motion to recommit the bill to the

conferees-the real test between the honest revis-

When Mr. Madison declares that it was the

ionists and the Canon-Payne protectionists.

Mr. Madison voted against the high schedules of the bill all the way through. He also voted

Congressman Madison says that he voted finally for the tariff bill because there was no way left for improving it. That's all right. As long as there was a way Indge Madison cast his vote for improvement. He also voted to recommit the bill after the conference report had come in. Madison and Murdock may differ now and then in matters or detail, but they are two congressmen of a kind, and they suit Kansas.-Topeka Capital, Friday morning, August 13.

Island company has promised to hold ! their train here until 5 o'clock in the evening, so that those who desire may return home in the evening.

modate the crowds coming to Dodge evening as one crowd after another ar-City from the west.

burn, according to the program ar- small tables both in the house and on the ranged, will be at the afterneon meet- lawn. Among the presents received by ing on Thursday, and the big paracte Mr Preston was an elegant leather will be in the morning of that day at umbre la, a bandsome book written by an old time neighbor of Mr. Preston, a the evening meeting on Wednesday, watch fob, pin, gold pen and a handsome and Senator Bristow will speak at the necktie. In the crowd were a number of view of an application made recently to afternoon meeting of that day. Gov. the old soldier friends of Judge Preston, Geo. Curry is to speak at the Thurs- and different triends and neighbors who day morning meeting. The follow-ing program assigning some of the ber, who as early settlers saw pretty speakers has been arranged. It is hard times in Western Kansas, but staypossible that some changes may have ed with it and looked forward to the to be made in it:

2.30 P. M. Address of welcome by M. W. Sutton. Response, Co., R M. Painter. home, and all wished him many more 7.30 P M Address, Congressman, John A. Martin.

WEDNESDAY

10:30 A. M. Address Commander, President W. R. C.

1:30 P. M. Address, Senator J. L. 7:30P.M. Address. Gov. W. R. Stubbs

THUBSDAY, 26th. nd Hon, H. F. Mason,

An event that was particularly enjoyed by a large number of people of Dodge tity was a reception held last Saturday -vening at the home of Judge and wrs. W. H Preston, in honor of his 70th The Santa Fe will stop train No. 61 mrinday anniversary. The affair was ar at all stations west of here from Syra ranged as a susprise to Mr. Preston, and cuse, during the Reunion, to accom- the surprise continued throughout the rived. The house and the pleasant laws at the Preston home held a large crowd The address by Hon, W. P. Hep- of triends, Refreshments were served on time when this part of the country would

happy birthdays. Mr. G C. Brown expets to be located in Dodge City now in a short time, when he will give all of his attention to work on the south west railroad project. He Joel Rickel, and Mrs. Cora A. Deputy, has parties in Hutchinson interested in per hundred. Ice is now costing \$1.50 number 1,981, and as there is a fluitted the road in addition to the people of this more a ton, on account of being shipped number of claims there, he will probably

be the prosperous happy community that

enjoyed the evening at his comfortable

ger than ever. Walter Dellinger went to Denver the first of the week, where he is to be married to Miss Grace Shaffer who moved to 10:30 A. M. Address. Gov. Geo. Curry Denver from Dodge City a few months in. The raise will be in effect Saturday,

It is a misdemeanor to conduct a business without a License Tax Call at

On last Sunday afternoon Mr. Walle-D. Thomas and Mirs Ida Mae Goring of done in Dodge City next week, the this city were married, the R v A w. auto owners will be doing a valuable Eeis of the Presbyterian church performwork for the town. It will be an ing the ceremony. The wedding occurred at the home of the bride's mother on attention the visitors will remember | Chestnut street and was witnessed by a and the auto owners will be showing number of the relatives of the coutracting a public spirit that will be most parties. The young couple have tre best

Have you pald your license tax since Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brun-onentertain July 1909? Call at the City Clerks ed about fifty friends on Wednesday eve- Office. Otherwise you can not collect your

word that he will be unable to a tend the cunion next week, on account of another engagement. He was the first man invited by Judge Madison, of the invitation committee. Recently another p-raonal invitation was sent by some of his old soldler friends in Dodge City. He has replied both to them and to Judge Madi son, that he particularly regrets that he can not be here, as his trips to the reunion are among his most pi-a-ant

For Rent-Improved farm, 480 acres three and one-half mites from town In quire of C. J. Buckingham,

J. M. Kirkpatrick was notified test rday that he had drawn claim No 1525 in the Flathead reservation. This number will probably be worth looking after Many registered, who will never pay any attention to the claims after learning that they did not draw a low number Pins bly fifty per cent will not return, and Mr Kirkpatrick's number may drop to 1000 or under. There are between 2000 and A short address will be made to the 3000 claims in the reservation so that that his number is 1,940. A. B. Reeves, who drew in the Couer d'Alene, has

> Portland Cement 30c net. No. 1 Dimension 12 to 16 ft. \$23 00, No. 1 Dimension 18 and 20 ft \$24.00. 4 and 6 abceting \$22 00. All other prices in proportion at M.

HOWELL ITEMS.

Miss Eva Sutton, of Dodge City, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Graham.

Misses Ada and Elsie Merk were in Dodge City Saturday.

Mr. Graham and wife were city visitors

Mrs. Mock visited with her mother the latter part of last week.

Avery Hoover visited with Misses Zoe and Eills Lupton Sunday.

Mr Rogers, wife and baby visited at Mr. Kissinger's Sunday.

The Section force at this place went to Dodge City Wednesday.

Dodge City Monday as it was Santa Fe pay day.

Albert Miller killed two coyotes oue morning this weeck.

Mrs. Anders and daughter, Miss Delhi were shopping in the county seat Mon-

Mrs. Parker went to the City Monday M A. Wear, wife and little daughter. visited at Chas. Wright's Sunday.

Mrs. Gragg visited her son in Dodge City Tuesday.

Mr. Latimer was in Dodge City Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Miller and little daughter were to

## C. F. HAWKINS

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